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Madrid, January 3, *N. S.*

YEsterday the Duke de Populi returned hither from France. Lieutenant General Don Domingo Reco, having with the King's Leave resigned the Government Civil and Military of Tarragona, his Majesty has conferred that Employment on the Marquess Dragoneti Lieutenant General. His Majesty has settled a Pension of 1000 Pistoles a Year on the Spanish Academy, which is to be first applied to defray the Charge of printing a Dictionary of the Castilian Language, which they have been some Time compiling, and afterwards to go towards any other incident Expences they may be at: The Duke of Escalona is President of that Academy.

Turin, Jan. 5, *N. S.* The 1st Instant the Senators went in a Body to wish their Sardinian Majesties a happy Year, as did also the Magistrates of the City and most of the Nobility of both Sexes, who had all the Honour of kissing their Majesties Hands. The same Day Mr. Molesworth the British Envoy went to Court, attended by three Coaches in his own Liveries, and had Audiences of the King and Queen; as he had also of the Prince, the Duke d'Aouste, and the Princesses of Carignan. The Princess Louisa excused herself from that Ceremony, being lodged in a Convent; as did the young Prince Eugene of Savoy, upon his being at the Academy: However the Envoy made them private Visits the same Afternoon. General Schuylembourg has been lately so ill, that he was given over by the Physicians, but is now somewhat better, and they begin to have Hopes of his Recovery.

Berlin, Jan. 11. This Morning the King of Prussia set out from hence for Kolbatz in Pomerania, where his Majesty designs to take the Diversion of Hunting the wild Boar, and from thence to proceed to Stetin, to view the Fortifications of that Place, which are intended to be made very strong; General Montargues, one of His Majesty's chief Ingeniers, is gone before thither, to make a Plan of what Alterations or additional Works may be necessary.

Hague, Jan. 21, *N. S.* The States General have caused a Placard to be published, forbidding on Pain of Death any Persons to go on board any Vessel which may be wrecked on these Coasts, without being first desired so to do by the Master, Pilot, or Crew of such Vessel. M. le Cocq, Minister from the King of Poland to the Court of Great Britain, is arrived here from Germany, and is preparing to imbark, in order to pass over to England.

Whitehall, Jan. 13. Yesterday arrived a Messenger from Cambray, with Letters from the Lord Polwarth and Lord Whitworth His Majesty's Ambassadours extraordinary and Plenipotentiaries there, giving an Account, that on the 6th Instant, O. S. an Express from Vienna brought to Count Windischgratz and Baron Penterriedter the Emperour's Plenipotentiaries at Cambray, his Imperial Majesty's Act of Investiture of the Dutchies of Tuscany, Parma, and Placentia, in Favour of the Prince Don Carlos Infante of Spain.

Whitehall, Jan. 13. His Majesty has been pleased to appoint Horatio Walpole, Esq; to be his Envoy Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at the Court of France.

Leicester-House, January 10.

This Day his Excellency Hag Abdelcader Peres, Ambassadour from the Emperour of Morocco, was conducted by Sir Clement Cottrell Master of the Ceremonies, to his Audience of her Royal Highness the Princess of Wales in her own Apartment; he was brought in the same manner as to his Audience of his Royal Highness the Prince, in a leading Coach with six Horses of his Royal Highness's, all his Retinue attending him; was very graciously received by her Royal Highness; and after having made his Compliment, in some short Time withdrew, and was attended back to his own House in the same manner as he came.

St. James's, January 13.

This Day his Excellency the Morocco Ambassadour was conducted by the Master of the Ceremonies to his Audience of the young Princesses, in one of their leading Coaches and six Horses; after his Compliment ended, his Attendants were admitted to pay their Royal Highnesses their Respects, and then withdrawing, he was conducted Home by the Master of the Ceremonies in the same manner as he came.

Whitehall, January 7, 1723.

Whereas Thomas Miller, of Upton in the County of Berks, a well-sized Man, aged about 30, *and William Hicks, Bell-Founder by Trade, a short Man, of the same Age, having been charged upon Oath, before Harry Bridges, Esq; one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace at Keynsham near Bath, with false coining and counterfeiting of the current Money of this Kingdom, were by his Mittimus put into the Custody of a Tithingman with*